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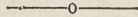
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Professor of Mathematics.

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Adjunct Professor of Languages.

UNDERGRADUATES.

SENIOR CLASS.

| Names. | Residence. | Rooms. |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| James Dunlop Baird, | Person co., N. C. | Mr. S. C. Anderson's. |
| Phil. Pendleton Barbour, | Orange. <i>Grouseville</i> | 39, W. |
| Richard Daniel Beach, | Prince Edward. | 48, W. |
| Edwin Graham Booth, | Nottoway. | 32, W. |
| Marcus Cleveland Elcan, | Buckingham. | 37, W. |
| Walter Logan Garden, | Charlotte. | 40, W. |
| Marshall Madison Gilliam, | Buckingham. | 37, W. |
| Garland Jarman Holbrook, | <i>Krythville</i> | Mr. Brown's |
| Robt. Thurston Hubbard, Jr., | " | 8, E. |
| Blackburn Hughes, | Cumberland. | Mrs. Hughes'. |
| Francis Green Jones, | Brunswick. | 44, W. |
| Benj. Crawley Jones, | <i>Petersburg</i> | 44, W. |
| James Goodrich Ligon, | Prince Edward. | Mrs. Hughes'. |
| James Montgomery Lynch, | Petersburg. | 30, W. |
| Isaac Paul Osborne, | Oxford, N. C. | Mr. S. C. Anderson's. |
| Robert Cryer Osborne, | Petersburg. | 43, W. |
| Robert Wm. Ramsay, | Charlotte. | 5, E. |
| Wm. Marshall Tredway, | Pittsylvania. | Mrs. Hughes'. |
| Jas. Mitchell Walton, | Roanoke. | 48, W. |
| Chas. Baskerville Watkins, | Halifax. | 29, W. |
| Henry Edward Watkins, | Prince Edward. | Mrs. Watkins'. |
| John Shore Webb, | Loundes co., Ala. | Mr. S. C. Anderson's. |
| John William White, | Charlotte. | 7, E. |
| John Milton Whitehead, | " | 40, W. |
| Wm. Blakey Wright. | Greene. | 39, W. |

W. 25 *W. 25* E. East Wing. *W. West Wing.*

J. R. Dawson *Charlotte*

J. S. Reid *St. Louis*

E. D. Richmond

JUNIOR CLASS.

| Names. | Residence. | Rooms. |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Ezekiel Vaughan Adams, | <i>Charlotte.</i> | 5, E. |
| David Gibson Armstrong, | <i>Hampshire.</i> | Dr. Smith's. |
| David Meade Bernard, | <i>Petersburg.</i> | 30, W. |
| John Morton Booker, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | 22, E. |
| Francis Walker Boyd, | <i>Boydton.</i> | 16, E. |
| John Russell Bugg, | <i>Charlotte.</i> | 23, E. |
| Alonzo Decatur Chesterman, | <i>Hanover.</i> | 23, E. |
| Samuel Read Comfort, | <i>Charlotte.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| Alex. Branch Cralle, | <i>Lunenburg.</i> | 11, E. |
| Robt. Michaux Dickinson, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Students' Retreat. |
| Hamlin Harris Epes, | <i>Nottoway.</i> | 13, E. |
| David Meade Field, | <i>Sussex.</i> | 44, W. |
| Charles Lewis Francisco, | <i>Warm Springs.</i> | 27, W. |
| Joseph Fuqua, | <i>Buckingham.</i> | 46, W. |
| James White Gibson, | <i>Richmond.</i> | 38, W. |
| William Lil. Guthrey, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Mr. Guthrey's. |
| Wood Jones Hamlin, | <i>Petersburg.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| Robt. Merrywether Harper, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Mr. Harper's. |
| William Henry Holman, | <i>Fluvanna.</i> | 38, W. |
| Edmund Wilcox Hubard, | <i>Buckingham.</i> | 42, W. |
| William Meade, | <i>Petersburg.</i> | 80, W. |
| Theophilus Virginus Meade, | <i>Dinwiddie.</i> | 13, E. |
| Robert Geo. Meredith, | <i>Hanover.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| Allan Morton, | <i>Richmond.</i> | 42, W. |
| George Nash Morton, | <i>Memphis, Tenn.</i> | 11, E. |
| James Poulson, | <i>Accomac.</i> | 21, E. |
| Wm. Thomas Robertson, | <i>Amelia.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| Emmet Roper, | <i>Petersburg.</i> | 41, W. |
| Samuel Mosby Shelton, | <i>Hanover.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| Josiah Morrison Smith, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Dr. Smith's. |
| James Henry Taylor, | <i>Granville, N. C.</i> | Mr. S. C. Anderson's. |
| Thomas Oliver Towles, | <i>Cumberland.</i> | 15, E. |
| William Curtis Wallace, | <i>Norfolk co.</i> | 9, E. |
| J. Henry Harrison Winfree, | <i>Chesterfield.</i> | Mr. Guthrey's. |

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

| | Names. | Residence. | Rooms. |
|--------|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 57 | John Wm. Wallace Aler, | Fredericksburg. | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| 58 | Alex. Forbes Anderson, | Appomattox. | " " |
| 59 | Wm. Gilliam Baird, | Person co., N. C. | Mr. S. C. Anderson's. |
| 60 | Robert Thomas Baldwin, | Deerhachester. | Dr. Atkinson's. |
| 61 | David E. J. Baskerville, | Mecklenburg. | 16, E. |
| | Charles Baskerville, | Roanoke - | 29, W. |
| | Robert Blair Berkeley, | Prince Edward. | Dr. Berkeley's. |
| 62 | Socrates Brooks, | Deer Chesterfield. | Mr. Guthrey's. |
| 63 | Wm David Early, | Madison. | 45, W. |
| 64 | Isaac Vanmeter Gibson, | Hampshire. | Dr. Smith's. |
| 65 | James William Hall, | Halifax. | 12, E. |
| 66 | Edmund Pendleton Major, | Culpeper. | 45, W. |
| | Edgar Hoge Marquess, | Warm Springs. | Prof. Hoge's. |
| 67 | Joseph Mayse, | " " | 28, W. |
| 68 | ✓ Alex. Stuart Marye, | Fredericksburg. | Capt. Sappington's. |
| 69 | ✓ Tazwell Morton McCorkle, | Lynchburg. | 22, E. |
| | Alex. William Miller, | Cumberland. | 21, E. |
| Key 70 | Jacob Wm. Morton, | Charlotte | Dr. Smith's. |
| | J. McGregor Murkland, | Prince Edward. | Mr. Murkland's. |
| | Wm. Urwick Murkland, | " " | " |
| 70 | Walter Pannill, | Petersburg. | " |
| 72 | Bernard C. Pollard, | Deer Hanover. | Prof. Snyder's. |
| 73 | Samuel Jay Price, jr., | Prince Edward. | Dr. Smith's. |
| 74 | Thos. Edward Royall, | Nottoway. | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| | William N. Scott, | Charlotte. | 10, E. |
| 75 | Frank Dixon Sherrard, | Hampshire. | 27, W. |
| | John M. Stainback, | Brunswick. | 24, E. |
| | Peter F. Stainback, | " | 24, E. |
| | Robert Gilliam Temple, | Chesterfield. | Mr. Guthrey's. |
| 76 | Nathaniel Thackston, | Prince Edward. | " |
| 77 | Archibald Thweatt, | Dinwiddie. | 6, E. |

SOPHOMORE CLASS—CONTINUED.

| | Names. | Residence. | Rooms. |
|----|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 78 | Richard Noble Thweatt, | <i>Dinwiddie.</i> | 6, E. |
| 79 | Travis W. Vaughan, | <i>Nottoway.</i> | 28, W. |
| | Alex. W. Weddell, | <i>Petersburg.</i> | Mr. Murkland's. |
| 80 | Cecil Daniel Whiteman, | <i>Lowndes co., Ala.</i> | 12, E. |
| 81 | Wm. Walter Wood, | <i>Clarkesville.</i> | 14, E. |

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31. Henry Wood

FRESHMAN CLASS.

| | Names. | Residences. | Rooms. |
|-----|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| 91 | Robert P. Anderson, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Mr. R. C. Anderson's. |
| 92 | Thornton R. Baxter, | <i>Albemarle.</i> | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| 93 | Wm. Fleming Baxter, | <i>Washington, D. C.</i> | " " |
| | Sam'l Jas. Bondurant, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Mr. Bondurant's. |
| 94 | Geo. Hunt Christian, | <i>Appomattox.</i> | Mrs. Hughes'. |
| 95 | John Guerrant, | <i>Goochland.</i> | " " |
| 96 | Achilles Whitlocke Hoge, | <i>Halifax.</i> | 7, E. |
| 97 | John Wm. Jackson, | <i>Fluvanna.</i> | 18, E. |
| 98 | James McClellan Miller, | " | 18, E. |
| 99 | Wm. Price Millner, | <i>Pittsylvania.</i> | Mrs. Hughes'. |
| 100 | James W. Millner, | " | " " |
| 101 | Jesse Bowman Minor, | <i>Cumberland.</i> | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| 102 | Robt. Carter Nicholas, | <i>Buckingham.</i> | Mr. Brown's. |
| 103 | Robert P. Nixon, | " | 46, W. |
| 104 | Robt. Alex. North, | <i>Appomattox.</i> | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| 105 | Wm. Williamson Page, | <i>Warrenton.</i> | 33, W. |
| 106 | Isaac Archer Read, | <i>Richmond.</i> | 26, W. |
| 107 | Luther N. Rowlett, | <i>Prince Edward.</i> | Capt. Sappington's. |
| 108 | James Garland Tinsley, | <i>Hanover. Richmond</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| 109 | Hugh Belsches Walker, | <i>Sussex.</i> | 10, E. |
| 110 | William H. Walthall, | <i>Christiansburg.</i> | Mr. A. F. Anderson's. |

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IRREGULARS.

| | Names. | Residence. | Rooms. |
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| 82 | Samuel Baldwin, | <i>Charlotte.</i> | 12, E. |
| 83 | John B. Coakley, | <i>Stafford.</i> | Mrs. Wharey's. |
| 84 | John C. Deane, — | <i>Lynchburg.</i> | 46, W. |
| 85 | David B. Finney, | <i>Accomac.</i> | 9, E. |
| | Charles L. Graves, | <i>Orange.</i> | 10, E. |
| | Haynie Hatchett, — | <i>Lunenburg.</i> | 24, E. |
| 86 | Joseph G. Hicks, | <i>Vicksburg, Miss.</i> | 41, W. |
| | Alex. Baxter Jones, — | <i>Nottoway.</i> | 14, E. |
| 87 | Joseph G. Maghee, | <i>Lunenburg.</i> | Prof. Snyder's. |
| 88 | Albert S. Mayo, — | <i>Powhatan.</i> | Mrs. Trueheart's. |
| 89 | John M. Moseley, | " | Mr. Guthrey's. |
| 90 | T. Towson Smith, | <i>Fauquier.</i> | 25, W. |
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SUMMARY.

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| SENIORS, | 25 |
| JUNIORS,..... | 34 |
| SOPHOMORES,..... | 36 |
| FRESHMEN,..... | 21 |
| IRREGULARS,..... | 12 |
| Total..... | 128 |

CALENDAR.

1859.

Sunday, June 12, Baccalaureate Sermon.

Tuesday, June 14, Board of Trustees Meet.

Wednesday, June 15, Address before the Literary Societies.

Thursday, June 16, Commencement.

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Thursday, September 2, Session Commences.

Friday, December 23, Orations by the Senior Class.

1860.

Wednesday, February 22, Orations by the Junior Class.

Thursday, June 14, Commencement.

COURSE OF STUDY.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

| | | |
|--------------|---|---|
| 1ST YEAR. | { | Bullions' Latin Grammar and Latin Reader. |
| | | Bullions' English Grammar, Modern Geography. |
| 2D YEAR. | { | Bullions' Caesar, five books. |
| | | Bullions' Greek Grammar and Greek Reader. |
| | | Sallust, Schmitz and Zumpt, or Bullions' |
| | | Virgil begun, and Latin Prosody. |
| | | Anthon's Latin Prose Composition, weekly. |
| 3D YEAR. | { | Common Arithmetic, Davies. |
| | | Bullions' Greek Reader completed. |
| | | Xenophon's Anabasis, three books. |
| | | Virgil completed, and Prosody continued. |
| | | Ovid, Cicero's Select Orations, four. |
| | | Anthon's Greek Prose Composition, weekly. |
| | | Arithmetic completed. |
| | | Composition and Declamation weekly, through the course. |

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FRESHMAN CLASS.

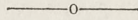
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| 1ST TERM. | { | Arithmetic, | <i>Lacroix.</i> |
| | | Algebra, to equations of the second degree, <i>Davies' Bourdon.</i> | |
| | | Geometry, three books,..... | <i>Davies' Legendre.</i> |
| | | Odes of Horace and Prosody. | |
| | | Herodotus. | |
| | | Latin and Greek Prose Composition, weekly. | <i>Arnold.</i> |
| 2D TERM. | { | Roman Antiquities through the year. | <i>Bojesen.</i> |
| | | Algebra, to the Binomial Theorem,..... | <i>Bourdon.</i> |
| | | Geometry, through the sixth book,..... | <i>Legendre.</i> |
| | | Livy and Horace continued. | |
| | | Homer's Iliad and Greek Prosody..... | <i>Felton.</i> |
| | | Greek and Latin Prose Composition, weekly. | |

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

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| 1ST TERM. | { | Algebra and Geometry completed, | <i>Davies.</i> |
| | | Plane Trigonometry, with applications, | <i>Davies.</i> |
| | | Horace, Satires and Epistles. | |
| | | Demosthenes,..... | <i>Champlin.</i> |
| | | Grecian Antiquities, through the year,..... | <i>Bojesen.</i> |
| 2D TERM. | { | Spherical Trigonometry, with applications. | |
| | | Surveying and Navigation, | <i>Davies.</i> |
| | | Analytical Geometry, three books, | <i>Church and Davies.</i> |
| | | Cicero de Oratore and de Officiis. | |
| | | Thucydides, | <i>Owen.</i> |
| | | Latin and Greek Prose Composition, weekly through the year. | |

JUNIOR CLASS.

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| 1ST TERM. | { | Analytical Geometry completed. | |
| | { | Chemistry,..... | <i>Lectures and Fownes.</i> |
| | { | Juvenal, six Satires. | |
| | { | Greek Drama, | <i>Wolsey's Editions.</i> |
| 2D TERM. | { | Mental Philosophy begun, | <i>Browne.</i> |
| | { | Differential and Integral Calculus completed,..... | <i>Courtenay.</i> |
| | { | Chemistry, continued. | |
| | { | Tacitus, | <i>Tyler.</i> |
| | { | Greek Drama, continued. | |
| | { | Ancient Geography through the year,..... | <i>Anthon.</i> |
| | { | Mental Philosophy continued. | |



SENIOR CLASS.

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| 1ST TERM. | { | Natural Philosophy, | <i>Lectures, Lardner, Bartlett.</i> |
| | { | Plantus. | |
| | { | Plato's Gorgias, | <i>Woolsey.</i> |
| | { | Mental Philosophy, completed and reviewed. | |
| | { | Moral Philosophy, | <i>Paley, Wayland and Jouffroy.</i> |
| | { | Rhetoric, | <i>Whately.</i> |
| 2D TERM. | { | Evidences of Christianity,..... | <i>Wardlaw, Butler and Paley.</i> |
| | { | Descriptive Geometry, | <i>Schooler.</i> |
| | { | Astronomy, | <i>Herschel.</i> |
| | { | Greek and Latin Drama and Criticism | |
| | { | Agricultural Chemistry. | |
| | { | Geology, | <i>Lyell and Hitchcock.</i> |
| | { | Political Economy, | <i>Say.</i> |
| | { | Logic, | <i>Mill and Whately.</i> |
| | { | History and Philosophy of Social Progress. | |
| | { | Dissertations and Forensics through the year. | |

There are frequent written translations of Latin and Greek into English, as well as the Exercises of translating English into Latin

and Greek by the members of each class; and the members of the Senior class are required frequently to present written analyses of the authors and subjects belonging to this part of the course of studies. Each student is required to present a composition once a month to one of the professors to whom he recites, and there are declamations in the chapel weekly on Friday evening, by the classes in divisions. A Bible recitation is attended by each class on Sabbath evening.

ADMISSION.

Candidates for admission into College or the Grammar School are examined by the Faculty, and placed in the class which they are prepared to enter. Candidates for admission into any particular class must stand an examination on *all* the course previously pursued by the class. In *all* cases the candidate is required to present satisfactory testimonials as to his moral character and standing in the institution which he *last attended*. Examinations for admission commence on Tuesday before the session opens.

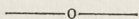
The Grammar school is designed chiefly to prepare students to enter the Freshman class. But students, desiring to pursue a particular branch of study, are permitted to enter this department, or any class in College for which they are found prepared, subject, however, to the direction of the Faculty in the amount of study required, which shall, in all cases, be equal to that of regular students.

RELIGIOUS EXERCISES.

Students are required to attend morning and evening prayers in the chapel, Bible class on the Sabbath, and church in such places as their parents or guardians shall request; or, without such request, in the place appointed by the Faculty.

MONTHLY CIRCULARS.

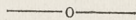
Each Professor keeps a daily record of the attendance and recitations of the members of his classes, and at the end of every month the average standing in scholarship, the number of absences from recitation, chapel and church, together with any improper deportment, requiring particular notice, is transmitted to the parent or guardian of each student in the institution.



EXAMINATIONS.

There are two public examinations of all the classes, one in the middle of the session and another at the close, held before a Committee of the Board of Trustees, and conducted by each professor in his own department. These examinations are either oral or written, or both combined, and are designed to test thoroughly each student's knowledge of the studies of the session. The classes are divided into four divisions or grades, according to the results of the examination. Those in the first grade are announced at commencement as distinguished. Those in the second grade are sustained and permitted to advance with the class, while those in the third grade cannot advance until they have been sustained on a re-examination.

The senior class are examined on all the studies of the course four weeks before commencement.



PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS.

The members of the senior class deliver original orations in the chapel at the close of the first term, and representatives from each of the Literary Societies, together with the members of the junior class, on the 22d of February.

VACATION AND COMMENCEMENT.

Commencement occurs annually on the Thursday following the second Tuesday of June. The vacation follows the annual commencement, and continues until the first Thursday of September.

The Literary Societies hold their anniversary meetings on the day before commencement, and public addresses are delivered before them by literary gentlemen appointed for the occasion.

Every student is expected to enter punctually on the first day of the session, or present to the Faculty satisfactory reasons for absence. Parents and guardians cannot be too careful in seeing that this rule is observed, for the loss of a few days at the beginning of a session is almost invariably followed by a loss of grade in class, and always subjects the students to hurried and embarrassed study.

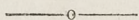
EXPENSES.

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| Tuition for the year, | \$40 00 |
| Room rent for the year, | 10 00 |
| Servant's hire and contingent expenses, | 5 00 |
| Deposit, (which is returned if no damage is done,) | 5 00 |
| Board, \$12 per month, | 120 00 |
| Washing, \$1 per month, | 10 00 |
| Wood, \$2 25 per cord, variable, say | 10 00 |
| | 200 00 |

Students who enter on the scholarships recently established pay no tuition fees, but are liable for all the other charges, *which must be paid in advance*. The incidental expenses will depend upon the habits of the student and the allowance from home. There is no more fruitful source of injury to the student than too large a supply of pocket-money.

HALLS AND LIBRARIES.

The halls of the Literary Societies are fitted up with great taste and neatness, and the libraries, containing about 3,500 volumes each, have been selected with care, and are constantly increasing by additions from the choicest productions of the modern press.



LOCATION, REMARKS, &c.

Hampden Sidney College is situated in Prince Edward county, two miles from the courthouse, and seven miles from the town of Farmville, both of which places are easily accessible from every quarter. The locality is proverbially one of the most healthy in Virginia. The College is surrounded by a community distinguished for intelligence, morality and piety, in the families of which students may enjoy all the social advantages consistent with a life of study. Its quiet locality in the country, removed from the bustle of life, and from temptations to idleness and vice, incident to a town or city neighborhood, associated with the above named advantages, renders this College one of the most desirable retreats to every student who aims to secure the thorough culture of his mind and heart, and the formation of correct habits.